THE Pennsylvania Democratic State Scranton.

THE Pope's rescript to the German Bishops, urging them to actively com-

A ROYALIST plot was discovered in Paris, on the 30th to proclaim the monarchy with the young Duke of Orleans | was passed without division. as King.

JOHN McManus, who had been on trial in Philadelphia for the murder of his friend McGinnis, was, on the 2d, found guilty of murder in the first de-

GOVERNOR BEAVER of Pennsylvania has called for a special election, on the 20th, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Congressman Samuel J. Ran-

JACKSON & Co.'s mills at Nashua, N. H., were started up on the 28th. Nearly strike.

Two more judgments were docketed against ex-Governor Cornell, of New tional Bank was plaintiff in both cases.

THE Gloucester City (N. J.) National of America in Philadelphia, with which it had dealings.

It was announced, on the 2d, that the | month. Big Four (the Cleveland, Chicago, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad Company) is to purchase the St. Louis, Alton & Terre Haute railroad at the rumored price of \$10,000,000.

THE amended Saxton Ballot Reform bill was passed by the New York State Assembly on the 30th. It is a compromise measure, the official ballot be-Governor's objection.

THE General Assembly of Rhode Island adjourned sine die on the 2d. Several important matters, including the application of the Ballot-Reform law to municipal elections, were continued to the May session.

SUPERINTENDENT PIERCE, of the New York Brush Electric Light Company, the United States was agreed to. The Customs acquitted, on the 29th, of the toms Administration bill was taken up, all charge of causing the death of Henry Harris, who was killed by coming in contact with an electric lamp.

EX-POLICE JUDGE LAIDLOW, of Oakland, Cal., who a short time ago fined himself \$50 for drunkenness, spent the night of the 28th in a cell for creating a disturbance in the streets. He had been recently removed from office.

THE New York City grand jury, on the 30th, found indictments for criminal libel against Joseph Pulitzer, John A Cockerill Julius Chambers and James F. Graham, of the World, for publishing statements regarding ex-Judge Hil-

THE German Government will not present its Army bill in the Reichstag before the coming winter, and only a nominal credit will be demanded, the government having abandoned its intention to ask for a seven-years' credit for the maintenance of the army.

EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND appeared in the Supreme Court, on the 2d, to argue the case in which he is of counsel; but although the case was reached, the court determined that in the time left it could not be disposed of, and so it went over until the October term.

THE May-Day labor demonstrations throughout Europe and America proved to organize one or more lodges in every a surprise to the authorities and a grat- city in the country. ification to the participants and their sympathizers, by reason of their generally peaceable and quiet character. Conflicts with the authorities were few

and unimportant. THE National convention of colored men in session in Washington, on the 4th perfected a permanent organization by the election of Rev. J. C. Price, of North Carolina, as president, and W. C. Chase, of Washington, secretary. Alist of honorary vice-presidents, one from each State represented in the convention, was also selected.

In the case of William Kemmler, sentenced to suffer death by electricity in the New York State prison at Auburn, a writ of habeas corpus was served on Warden Durston, on the 29th, comthe United States Circuit Court at gotiations were begun. Canandaigua, N. Y., on the third Tuesday of June, 1890, thus indefinitely postponing the death of the condemned murderer.

TWENTY-SIX Chinamen, one Portuguese and the captain of the sloop "Be-Diego, Cal., for violations of the Chinese | them in a grand wolf hunt. Exclusion act. The captain of the Benicia Boy confessed that he was em-Chinamen.

THE brake rod of an engine attached to an express train on the Chesapeake & Ohio road broke, at three o'clock on the morning of the 28th, as the train was descending a heavy grade, and it dashed into Staunton, Va., at the rate of eighty miles an hour, when the Pull- the court. man sleeper, containing the members of the "Pearl of Pekin" Opera Company. left the track and was wrecked. Miss Myrtle Knox died of her injuries, and several others were more or less severely

half-past five o'clock in the afternoon. It the Mediterranean. resembled a large ball of blazing fire, and | RICHARD SMEITKA, a German farmer dining, speaking, singing and swopping curiosity for several minutes after-wards. Several minutes after the ap-had separated.

quarreled with his wife, from whom he had separated.

about 1,500 of the veterans of the late war in that State are entitled to \$100-

tled the observers.

A Summary of Important Events.

FIFTY-FIRST CONGRESS

In the Senate, on the 28th, a discussion of ne relative value of the jetty and outlet systems to prevent damage from floods in the Mississippi river occupied much time, but shed very little light upon the subject. After the conclusion of the morning busiconvention has been called for July 2 at ness the Land-Forfeiture bill was taken up, but went over without action. Senate bill to incorporate the Sons of the American Revolution was taken up, and was pending when the Senate adjourned In the burgh was opened, House, Saturday, May 10, was fixed upon as Duke of Edinburgh. bat Socialism, was made public on the the time for paying tribute to the memory of the late David Wilber, of New York. The bill to allow Ogden, Utah, to increase its dent without his approval. The Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill

In the Senate, on the 29th, after the transaction of some routine morning business of necessary to construct public works, little public importance, consideration of the Land Forfeiture bill was resumed, and after the rejection of several amendments and the adoption of one or two, the bill was passed. The McKinley bill was then taken up, and was still under consideration when the Senate adjourned. In the House a shorp passage between the Speaker and Messrs. Pierce and Mills occurred. The Senate resolution was concurred in concerning the irrigation of the arid lands in the valley of the Rio Grande. Several bills of minor importance were passed, among them Senate bill for the disposal of Fort Sedgewick Military Reservation in Colorado

In the Senate, on the 30th, consideration of eight hundred men returned to work at the Customs Administration bill was rethe same prices that existed before the sumed, several amendments being offered and disposed of. A resolution was agreed to for correction of the Oklahoma bill by substituting the word "east" for the word "west." A brief executive session was then held.... In the House the bill for the classifi-York, on the 2d. One was for \$5,088, and cation of worsted cloths as woolen cloths the other for \$1,128. The Garfield Na- | was passed. The Senate Service Pension bill was amended so as to reduce the age of beneficiaries from sixty-two to sixty years and adopted. The Morrill Service Pension bill was passed as a substitute for the Senate Bank closed its doors on the 1st. The bill, and the Senate bill, as amended by the suspension is supposed to be due to the substitute, was then passed. The bill enfailure, the day previous, of the Bank titles any honorably discharged soldier of the rebelion who served ninety days or more and has or shall have arrived at the age of sixty years (or his widow at the same age) to a service pension of eight dollars per

and Nebraska.

In the Senate, on the 1st, Mr. Vest, from the committee on meat products, made a report and accompanied it with an explanation and four different bills for the consideration of the Senate. The Customs Administration bill was taken up, the pending question being on the amendment securing to an aggrieved importer the right to bring a common-law sult against the collector. In the House Senate bill to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies was taken up. An amendsale or purchase of any commodity transported from one State to another was agreed to, and the bill as amended was passed by a

In the Senate, on the 2d, the concurrent resolution requesting the President to enter into negotiations with the governments of of the committee amendments agreed to and the bill passed-yeas 35, nays 18-Mr. divided. Payne being the only Democrat voting in the affirmative In the House a resolution was adopted setting apart Saturday, Consideration of the Copyright bill was then resumed, and it was still under discussion when the House, at five o'clock, took a recess. At the night session seventeen private pension bills were passed.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL

Two negroes entered the Georgia Southern & Florida depot at Jasper, of the 29th, and called for a ticket. While Mr. Haley Frink, the night agent. was preparing the ticket one of the nethe office and fled. One of the negroes was subsequently captured at Melrose.

tertained D. O. Mills and party, of New and wrote a memorandum to accompany York, at dinner in the City of Mexico, it. on the 27th. The nu and appointments were never surpassed by the Tivoli San Cosme, the Delmonico of Mexico.

An organization to be known as the Independent Order of Machinists of the United States was instituted in Lynn, Mass., on the 29th, with a charter list of 180 members. A full board of offieers was chosen. It is the intention to have the supreme lodge in Lynn, and

WILLIAM RICHARD HINTON was, on the 29th, appointed superintendent of artesian irrigation, Department of Agriculture, with an appropriation of \$20,000 to expend before July 1 proximo, in ascertaining whether the agriculture of the Dakotas and adjacent States can be

benefited by the artesian system. closed its doors on the 29th. Bad business is said to be the cause of its suspension. The bank has a capital of will be paid in full.

It was stated on good authority, on further apart in their negotiations in manding him to produce Kemmler in they had been at any time since the ne-

THE Fish Commission steamer Albatross, having been thoroughly repaired at Mare Island Navy Yard, California,

nicia Boy," are awaiting trial at San going to join forces and exterminate fall to the ground. Thomas Carry, a

ployed by parties in San Francisco, and Governorship of Michigan, and was en the sidewalk damaged. The statue, that regular contracts are entered into route home to take part in the cam- however, is uninjured by its fall of five in China by which, for safe delivery in paign, on the 30th cabled his with- stories. the United States, the contracting par- drawal from the race. The death of ties are to receive \$140 per head for his niece, his last living relative, has lake and the Spokane river and its

broken him down completely. the Kemmler writ of habeas corpus, is lowlands many families have been comcriticised as unprecedented by competent peled to move, and the mayor has notilegal authority, especially since the fied property-owners, advising them to writ was in itself defective, lacking employ watchmen to guard their prop-Kemmler's signature and the seal of ertp.

C. L. BILLINGSLEY, a grader and con- named Doebeeriner was, on the 3d, sentractor of St. Paul, Minn., while exca- tenced to nine months imprisonment for vating under a house, on the 30th, pre- insulting Miss Lemmer, an American paratory to moving it, was killed by lady. Action in the case, however, was pulled it out by the roots and threw it the house tipping over and crushing only secured after an appeal had been

him beneath the timbers. A WONDERFUL meteor was seen in mentary terms of the skill in seaman-Iowa, on the 2d, of such intense brill- ship and effectiveness of equipment of five were entertained by an old-fashiancy as to "illuminate the heavens" at the American squadron of evolution in lioned barbecue at Atlanta, Ga., on the

descended with lightning-like rapidity, of Rochester, Minn., committed suicide, war stories. leaving in its path a beautiful wreath on the 29th, after first taking the life Ix accordance with the opinion of of smoke which remained an object of of his three-year-old boy. He had just Attorney-General Huston, of Michigan

pearance of the meteor, a loud report JAMES PALMER was hanged in the bounties. was heard which caused the earth to State prison at Concord, N. H., on the THE thi shake and tremble vigorousl and star- 1st, for the murder of a fellow-workman | Haute, Ind., on the 3d. It is located named Whitehouse, May 27, 1886.

JAKE ACKERMAN, a thief with a National reputation, was shot and killed in the Memphis (Tenn.) police court,

on the 30th, by his wife. THE Massachusetts House, on the 29th, by a vote of 174 to 20, passed the Constitutional amendment abolishing

the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting. THE union and non-union fishermen had a sanguinary encounter, on the 29th, on the Columbia river, about forty miles from Portland, Ore. Both parties were armed with rifles. One of the combatants was killed outright and two were seriously injured.

THE electrical exhibition in Edinburgh was opened, on the 1st, by the

THE House committee on labor, on the 1st, authorized a favorable report indebtedness was returned from the Presi- on the bill to enforce the Eight-Hour cases of extraordinary emergency arispreserve property or prevent the destruction of human life.

Mr. Cronwell, the assignee of the late firm of Henry S. Ives & Co., was authorized, on the 1st, by Judge Barrett, of New York City, to settle claims against the firm at five cents on the

dollar. The immigration season opened at make that city the capital of Missouri. Quebec, Can., on the 29th, with the ar-

rival of 1,600 immigrants. TWENTY-FIVE female clerks in Bradduction of wages.

the 1st, admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of the United States.

the coming State election. n the Island of Crete on the 1st. THE American squadron of evelution

eft Malta, on the 30th, for Algiers. THE Des Moines (Ia.) camp of the Salvation Army were notified not to parade the streets with their horns and drums without a permit from the city authorities, but they marched as usual. and the dignified presence of the police

ress, and her husband, Mr. Rodgers, Attorney-General is whether the State ing dropped out in order to meet the ment making unlawful any contract or were driving at Brighton, England, on Board of Pharmacy or the State Board agreement to prevent competition in the the 1st, their horse bolted and the car- of Health is to be the judge of whether riage was overturned. Both were a party taking advantage of the amen'dthrown out. Miss Palmer sustained ment is a physician. He holds that the viva voce vote with but a single dissenting several bruises, and one of Mr. Rodgers' State Board of Health alone has power arms was broken.

> ROLLIN ELLIS, private secretary of A. H. Loeb, of Chicago, is in jail for selling, with fraudulent intent, to accomsecuring treaty stipulations for the preven- plices for \$10,000, real estate worth St. Louis has passed an order depriving tion of the entry of Chinese laborers into \$100,000, which Loeb intrusted to him to the policemen of that city of their sell. The land was to be afterwards monthly day off duty. sold by the swindlers and the profits

MANY planters in Yucatan have decided to stop planting hennequen, which is quoted at low figures at present, and June II, for the delivery of cutogies upon is quoted at low figures at present, and the late Samuel J. Randall, of Pennsylvania. will plant cotton instead, importing negro and Chinese labor from Cuba.

FRANK WILLIAMS, convicted of robbing the stage near Downieville, Cal., of United States mails some months ago, was, on the 2d, sentenced at San Francisco to imprison ment for life.

tain Henry, bound for Baltimore from point of a lead pencil in his friend's Ga., about one o'clock on the morning | Liverpool, returned to the latter city, on the 2d, with her cargo on fire. THE proposition to arbitrate differ- his left ear. ences growing out of the Delagoa Bay

groes shot him, and then they robbed railway, is favorably viewed by the Portuguese Government. tin, was struck by lightning a few days GOVERNOR HILL of New York signed UNITED STATES MINISTER RYAN en- the Ballot-Reform measure, on the 2d, ago. Tugle was riding a fine horse, He saw' my bet and raised me the same

> THE Merchants' Bank of Atlantic City, N. J., suspended business on the

> THIRTY-FIVE workmen employed in the furniture factory of Joseph Partridge, of New York, had a narrow esbuilding on the 2d.

Hox. Lewis F. Allen, uncle of ex President Cleveland, died at Buffalo, N Y., on the 2d, aged ninety years.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

In the Senate, on the 3d, the resolution calling on the Secretary of the Treasury for information as to the export and import of gold and silver dur- of the State, \$41,916.15 with which to raised. It is believed that the cheeks ing the calendar year 1889, was agreed to. The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of bills on the calendar. THE Homestead Bank of New York and had passed two or three of no general interest, when, at a quarter-past four o'clock, a dispatch was read by the presiding officer, in a voice betraying deep emotion, announcing the sudden \$100,000, and it is said the depositors death of Senator Beck, of Kentucky, in the Baltimore & Ohio railway station, whereupon the Senate immediately ad-United States and Great Britain were journed In the House the Diplomatic and Consular Appropriation bill regard to the question as to whether or was considered in committee of the not Behring Sea is a closed sea, than whole and passed. The House also passed the joint resolution appropriating \$17,000,000 for the improvement of the Mississippi river from the Passes to the mouth of the Ohio.

WHILE workmen were hoisting the is now on her way to the Aleutian Isl- statue of "Justice," weighing four tons, to the fifth story of the new Govern-Wolves have been doing such great ment building in Philadelphia, on the damage in Iowa that the citizens are 3d, the derrick broke, letting the statue laborer, was struck by the falling der-MINISTER TO SPAIN PALMER, who had rick and instantly killed. A large been mentioned as a candidate for the ornamental stone was also broken and

A RAPID rise in the Coeur D'Alene tributies has been caused by the melt-JUDGE WALLACE'S action in signing ing of snow in the mountains. In the

A RICH citizen of Weimar, Germany,

made to the American consul. THE British press speaks in compli- Washington correspondents of lead-3d. The day was spent in the woods.

THE third oil well was struck in Terre within a block of the center of the city. Union Star and St. Joseph parties

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

An Alliance Bank Scheme. The Farmers' Alliance, says a St Joseph dispatch, has undertaken a gigantic scheme to advance the price of wheat. A large elevator is to be built for the farmers who are members of the Alliance, and the wheat is to remain stored until it can be sold for one dollar bushel. In order to tide over the farmers who have their wheat thus at St. Joseph, with a capital of \$50,000, warrants: and the money will be loaned to members at a very low rate of interest.

The Burro in Forest Park. Louis Knorr, a wide-awake citizen of St. Louis, has obtained permission to keep burros at Forest Park, St. Louis' largest pleasure resort, for the purpose law on Government premises, except in of hire. He believes that they can be used to amuse the thousands of chiling in time of war, or where it may be dren that visit the park. The burro, you know, is a small jackass used in Mexico and New Mexico. He can live on cactus leaves and sand, and can be as gentle as a lamb and as ugly as the notorious wild man from Barneo.

A New Capital Move.

Kansas capitalists interested in Sedalia are concocting a new scheme to

After Noland's Bondsmen.

Ex-Governor A. P. Morehouse, it is street's Commercial Agency at Omaha., said, is doing his best to induce the Neb., struck, on the 1st, against a re- delinquent bondsmen of ex-Treasurer Noland to make up the deficit, which is EX-PRESIDENT CLEVELAND was, on yet over \$10,000 short. Governor Francis is not disposed to talk much about the matter, but it is generally believed that THE Wisconsin Republicans will not if the entire amount is not made up by nake an issue of the Bennett law in the time Circuit Court convenes in Jefferson City, which will be May 19, he A GENERAL amnesty was proclaimed will instruct the Attorney-General to commence suit.

An Important Ruling.

Attorney-General Wood has made a ruling in regard to the Pharmacy law and the power of the State Board of of the transactions of the department the State Board of Health was enacted, They were arrested, and had a hearing giving the board power to judge of the on the 1st. The efforts of the police qualifications to practice medicine of physicians who had not previously pracjudge did not suffice to restrain the ticed five years. At the last session of religious fervor of the prisoners, and for the Legislature the Pharmacy law was a time the court-room possessed all the so amended as to permit any physician May 1 on account of the Noland defalfeatures of a Salvation Army prayer to compound prescriptions and sell drugs without registering as a pharma-WHILE Miss Minnie Palmer, the act- cist. The question presented to the to determine this point.

> No Day Off for the St. Louis Police. The board of police commissioners of

> His Life Was a Burden. T. T. Montreif committed suicide at

> Columbia, by cutting his throat with a pocket-knife. He was a real-estate agent. His body was found in a pasture in the northwestern part of town.

> > Run a Pencil Into His Head.

At Lexington Joe Graddy, a boot and shoe clerk, while scuflling with a The British steamer Yorkshire, Cap- friend, struck his head against the pocket. The pencil penetrated his head four inches, entering at the top of

Struck by Lightning. Thomas Tugle, a farmer near Galla-

Tugle was knocked senseless. Walked to Death While Asleep.

Joseph B. Hedgman, a passenger on the north-bound train of the Kansas City, St. Joseph & Council Bluffs railroad, while asleep walked out of the cape from death in the burning of the coach near Nishnabathna, and was killed. Hedgman was a well-to-do Ger- of the State, replied the Governor, and inman from Indiana, and with his wife was en route to Watson, this State, to visit their son. His remains were taken to Watson for interment.

With Which to Take Up Bonds. State Treasurer Stephens, a few days ago, remitted to the National Bank of Commerce, New York, the fiscal agent take up that amount of State bonds ma- are not the regular blanks of the two

turing May 17. Charities and Correction Delegates. Governor Francis has appointed the following as delegates to the seventeenth National conference of charities and corrections, to be held at Baltimore, Md., commencing Wednesday, May 14: Miss Mary E. Perry, Mrs. C. C. Rainwater and Mrs. J. D. Lawnin, of St. Louis: Bishop Tuttle, Bishop Bow-Vicar-General Brady, Rabbi Sonneschein, John T. Thomas McPheeters, W. L. Sheldon, Rev. John Snyder, Rev. S. J. Niccolls, N. O. Nelson, Grant Tilden, Marcus Bernheimer, Joseph O'Neil and H. J. Spaunhorst, St. Louis; ex-Governor Crittenden, Charles L. Dobson, Theodore L. Case, George W. Warder, Gardiner Lathrop, Rev. Henry Hopkins and Bishop Hendrix, Kansas City; Mrs. J. K. Cravens and Mrs. Albert Chiles, Kansas City; J. H. Shanklin, Trenton; Benjamin E. Turner, Kahoka; Samuel Nave, St. Joseph: Charles B. McAfee, Springfield, and Mrs. John W. Waddell, Lexington.

Arrests Follow a Cowhiding. Mrs. William L. Thomas, of St. Joseph, went out walking with her brother, J. H. O'Brien. They met W. M. Bushey, and while O'Brien held him Mrs. Thomas gave him a cowhiding. Mrs. Thomas claims that Bushey circulated slanderous stories regarding her. Bushey caused the arrest of Mrs. Thomas and her brother.

A Brutal Driver. A brutal driver in St. Louis became enraged at his horse for balking and seizing its tongue with both hands in the gutter. He was arrested.

The Gift of a Priest. Rev. Father Power, of Maryville, has recently donated eighty acres of ground at Conception, to the Catholic church, on which he will soon erect an indus-

trial school for boys, to cost \$25,000.

Plans for the building have been sub-

mitted, and the calculation is to com-

plete it by fall. A New Bank. Secretary of State Lesueur recently incorporated the Farmers' State Bank, at Union Star, De Kalb County, with a capital of \$20,000. Incorporators are feet.-Washington Post.

STATE FINANCES.

Report of Auditor Seibert at the Beginning of the Month of May, After the Payment of All Outstanding Warrants -The Report Corroborated by the Treasurer-Where the Funds are De-

The report of State Auditor Seibert for April, filed with the Governor, gives the following list of balances in the several funds constituting the general balance in the treasury May 1, 1890,

Total	State Revenue. State Interest. State School moneys. State School moneys. Executors and Administrators'. Insurance Department. Read and Canal. Read and Canal. Heartings Missouri Penitentiary. State Sinking Fund. State Seminary moneys. Swamp and indemnity	*Bana#
\$ 1.685.729 75 %	\$ 647,822 10 5.33,438 63 6.53 68 126,653 68 126,653 68 26,651 62 26,751 62 256,789 27	Balance April 1, 1890.
6 107 cm 34's	\$ 107,013-43 \$ 18,6-0 01 1,029-32 3,038-40 16,038-08	Receipts during April, 1890.
	\$ 81,258 4 \$ 16,026 (8 1,889 49	Disbursements during April, '99,
	\$ 671,223 11 672,124 61 6,852 00 18,073 00 95 08 22,504 36 40,055 52 40,055 52 1,450 51	Balance May I, 1990,

treasury to be \$1,754,325.92. State Treasurer Lon V. Stevens also laid before the Governor his statement

Health. In 1883 the law establishing luring the month of April. The report shows balances as follows: Receipts during April. Disbursements during April. . Balance on hand May L. 1,754,325 92 There is in the report an item showing that there was due the State on

> cation, \$10,861,89 Of the general ballance only \$1,753,17 is held in the treasury vault, the remainder being distributed among the State depositories as follows: Union National Bank, Kansas

Franklin Bank, St. Louis... First National Bank, Jefferson First National Bank, Kansas City

Exchange Bank, Jefferson City. Kansas City State Bank...... 268,711 97 Penitentiary earnings were \$16,036,08, and the expense account was a like

As It Was Published in Germany, Governor Francis has received from Max Kotany, a St. Louis broker visit- | did not anticipate any trouble. ng Germany, the following translation of a surprising account of the Missouri Freasury shortage, which appeared in

the North German Gazette: St. Louis: A few days ago the doors of the Near it was a note saying his life was a freezery Department of the State were osed during office hours. As soon as Govrnor Francis was informed of the fact, he sent for Treasurer Noland and asked for in explanation, and the latter, in the coolest manner possible, told the following

are due to-day, I drew from the bank yeserday \$37,000. Stepping into the St. Louis Hub to get a drink of whisky, I found, to my nisfortune, a game of poker in proghalf an hour. I made a few small bets intil I was \$100 ahead. Then a big hand was lealt me, three aces and two kings, the biggest 'full.' I instantly bet \$190. Every body passed out with the exception of one man. which was killed outright, while Mr, tmount. I raised him back and he did the same, and so we kept on betting until the whole of the \$17,000 was in the 'pot.' Imagine ny surprise and mortification when I discovered that what I considered an almost nvincible hand was beaten, as my opponent nad four duces. Now tell me, Governor, do con blame me? Would not you, too, have staked all your money on the same kind of

"Yes; my own money, but not the money

stantly suspended the treasurer.

Fraudulent Vouchers. Bogus pay checks of the Missouri Parific and Kansas Southern railroads are afloat, and banks have been notified by the roads not to honor them. The checks are made out upon skillfullyexecuted checks, and are not merely companies, but were made expressly for the purpose of fraud.

Lockjaw Set In. A few weeks ago, while Thomas Fitzmorris, twenty-one years old, living with his parents in St. Louis, was playing with an eight-year-old boy named Henry Hickman, the latter struck him over the head with a piece of sewer pipe, inflicting a wound which caused lock nw to set in. Fitzmorris was sent

to the City Hospital for treatment. The Homopathic Representative. Dr. William G. Hall, of St. Joseph, has been appointed by Governor Francis a member of the State Board of Health, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Cox, of Springfield. Dr. Hall will represent the homoepathic physicians of the State.

Death of an Aged Lady. Mrs. Elizabeth Smith died at the residence of her son, G. W. Smith at Columbia, a few days ago, aged ninety-seven. Deceased was born in Pennsylvania and went to Kentucky at an early age.

-- "Mamma, what's a book-worm?" "One who loves to read and to study and collect books, my dear." The next night company came. Miss Edith, who wears rings innumerable, was present. "Oh mamma, look at Miss Edith's rings! I guess she is a ring-worm, ain't she?" -A dull English clergyman who re-

cently preached a very brilliant sermon

on the text "Thou Shalt Not Steal"

was charged with having stolen it. He indignantly denied this, asserting that he had paid for it in cash at an agency where lithographed sermons are sold. they make the most of life when they make it as wretched as possible. Luttrell was once asked if an acquaintance

disagreeable as the circumstances will permit."-Rural New Yorker. -Social authorities announce that the waltz is going out of fashion. The only thing left for the young man who makes life a burden for his partner in the

MAY-DAY DOINGS.

The Greatest Labor Demonstration Ever Witnessed in Chicago-Nearly Thirty Thousand Men in Line, Headed by Five Thousand Striking Union Carpenters-An Immense Throng Listens to Speeches on the Lake Front-No Disturbance of Any Kind Marred the Occasion.

CHICAGO, May 2.- The greatest labor demonstration ever witnessed in Chicago closed its ranks shortly after noon yesterday and in solid lines arbitration committees were appointed. stored, a new bank is to be established after the payment of all outstanding nearly thirty thousand men marched to the notes of music furnished by numerous bands. At the hour named the pro- it came to granting forty cents an hour cession started from Monroe and Peoria streets and marched east. The United | the apprentice questions. While dis-Brotherhood of Carpenters headed the cussing the latter question, the subject procession, the Carpenters' Union No. 1 of the ability of the New Bosses' Asso-Joiners' following. These, with Knights | the carpenters in completing the negoof Labor carpenter assemblies, formed | tiations was brought up. The carpena line of about five thousand carpenters. | ters insisted that the bosses furnish a of American Bricklayers and Stone Then, in the order named, came coal un- of the strikers, limiting the number, it loaders, cloak-makers, wood-workers, is understood, is 4,000 men. The carlathers, turners, metal cornice-makers, penters protested and finally demanded iron-molders, metal-workers, printers, a statement from the bosses showing wood-carvers and turners. Bohemian exactly what each could do. They banks' employes, paper-hangers, cloak after a heated discussion, the conferand pants makers, tailors, German ence adjourned, to meet Saturday at printers, boiler-makers, gas-fitters, box- ten o'clock. makers, sawyers, harness-makers and many others.

tifully displayed, and the sentiments | Monday for eight hours. The coopers expressed on the mottoes caused tre- employed there have already quit. mendous cheers from the throngs of spectators that crowded the line of about to go on a strike is declared tomarch. Every thing moved smoothly, and not the slightest disturbance or wrangle occurred.

The procession was easily four miles long, and most of the paraders were erowded close together.

The strength expected from the stock- Door and Blind Company, settled with yards did not materialize. Instead of their employes on a similar basis. 10,000 men, as expected, less than 2,000 appeared in line.

After parading over the line of march would speak had drawn an immense crowd. There were fully twenty-five thousand people on the ground in addition to those that had taken part in the parade. Owing to some misunderstanding, no speakers' stands had been | molders have made no effort to procure bearing the speakers were therefore and from them the crowds were addressed. The orators spoke on the own mind, and say that they struck belabor question, and from the applause cause ordered by their leaders to do so. that followed their remark, it was evi- The whole affair has the appearance of dent that the multitude was well being a simple case of strike fever. pleased.

there had been no trouble at the stock- well patroled by officers, and any inyards. Several of the houses were cipient outbreak will be speedily reclosed to allow the men to take part in pressed. So far the strike has not the parade. The police on duty there

The Demonstration in London Very Tame, London, May 2.-The terrible May-Day bogie has come and gone, and a very insignicant and harmless fellow he has shown himself to be. What lit- kind in Chicago. The manager of this tle disorder there was on the Continent yesterday, where it was predicted and greatly feared blood would flow, was confined to street fights and brawls of proportions far beneath the character of a riot.

In London the street displays of the boasted strength and uncompromising McCormick's Harvester Works, were atdetermination of the workmen were | tacked by strikers at Blue Island avepositively ridiculous in their meagerness. The parades were not directed | windows of the 'bus were broken and by either the trade unionists or the So- | several of the occupants were more or cialists, and really seemed to have no definite object. The Socialists and rocks which were aimed at his head trades organizations, however, declare and, lashing his horses, succeeded in that they are reserving their forces for escaping. A report of the assault was Sunday, when they will give an example | telephoned to the nearest police staof their power that will cause society to | tion and a squad of officers sent to the tremble.

Rain Spoils a Demonstration in New

York. NEW YORK, May 2.-Rain spoiled the labor parade and open-air mass meeting last night, and not more that five thousand men were at the Union Square meetings. There was plenty of music, some red flags, more labor mottoes, and a remarkably large collection of police men. Among the speakers at the Plaza were Sergius, Schovitzh, P. J. McGuire, Theodore B. Wakeman, Paul Grottkau and Prof. DeLeon. At the Cottage other well-known speakers were heard.

Resclutions were adopted hailing the eight-hour day as the beginning of the ultimate abolition of wage slavery.

A Big Parade at Louisville. LOUISVILLE, Kv., May 1.-At least 12,000 workmen were in line this morning, making a procession over five miles in length. After the parade a monster meeting will be held, when Samuel Gompers, president of the Federation of Labor, and other speakers will address the wage-workers. The carpenters have not yet received an answer from

A Monster Demonstration in St. Louis. fittingly observed here to-day by a mon- ers are also threatening strike unless ster parade, participated in by most of the certain demands are complied with. labor organization of the city. The day was cool and pleasant and the parade was establishments of the Southwest Side viewed by thousands who lined the also struck this morning for the eightwalks along the route of march. At the hour day and eight hours' pay. Before conclusion of the parade the partici- night, the strikers claim, every planingpants listened to speeches on the labor mill employe in the city, numbering all situation by various speakers at Schnai- the way from 20,000 to 30,000 men, will der's Garden.

this afternoon they will strike to-mor-

Affairs at Dayton, O. DAYTON, O., May 2 .- Sixty woodcarvers at the car-works struck yesterday, because Foreman Kronaug persisted in all the building trades, or at least very him the alternative, and he replied that he asked no questions of the men he employed. The men then walked the men will go back to work.

wavered yesterday morning, but all table by the master builders. The went to work a half hour late, and the men are working peacefully as usual.

-There are some people who think No Demonstration at Pittsburgh, But the Concluded to Give the Bosses a Week to Builders Agitated.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 2.—There was no labor demonstrations in Pitts- trict council of the Brotherhood of Carburgh yesterday. The builders are agi- penters met last night, and decided to of his was not very disagreeable. "Well," was the reply, "he is always as tated, however, over the events which give the mill bosses a week to decide may follow within a few days. The upon their answer to the demand of the planing-mill owners have recently mill hands for an eight-hour day. If it formed an iron-clad organization for the | is not granted the men will strike. purpose of working against any movement for eight hours to be made by their employes. It is feared by the dance is to go out and step on his own a big building strike will occur within retary Evans stated that there was no various classes of labor.

THE STRIKE FEVER.

All Classes of Workmen in Chicago Appear to Have Caught the Infection from the Carpenters—Iron Molders, Sash and Door Men, Lumber Shovers and Many Other Classes of Labor Either Out on Strike or Preparing to Go Out in an

Effort to Get the Eight-Hour Day. CHICAGO, May 2 .- The carpenters' strike is still on, and the situation remains exactly the same as when the At the meeting this afternoon the bosses conceded eight hours, but when there was a hitch, as there was also on and the Amalgamated Carpenters' and | ciation to employ enough men to justify Following these came the United Order guarantee to employ 5,000 men within thirty days. To this the bosses ob-Masons, about three thousand strong, jected. The umpires decided in favor wood machine workers, N. K. Fair- were not prepared for this, and finally,

Five thousand men employed by the Fairbanks Canning Company have an-Banners, flags and mottoes were plen- nounced their determination to strike

> The report that the Union bakers are night to be untrue, as also is the report that there is great dissatisfaction among the lumber shovers.

The Garden City Springs Works compromised with their men to-day by four abreast, and the ranks were granting them an eight-hour day with nine hours' pay, and the Morgan Sash,

The strike at Maxwell Brothers' boxfactory was settled by the employes agreeing to consider the grievances of the procession moved to the Lake Front | their employes at an early date. They Congressman Frank Lawler, Judge Tut- midnight no reports of trouble on the hill, Judge Prendergast and others "Black Road" district has been received.

Everybody Striking.

CICAGO, May 2 .- Every thing has been quiet this afternoon and evening on the "Black Road." The striking erected in the park, and the carriages a meeting with their employers, and the latter are in absolute ignorance of driven to different places in the park | what is demanded. The bulk of the men, also, do not seem to know their The authorities apprehend no further Up to a late hour yesterday afternoon disturbance, but the neighborhood is departments of McCormick's Reaper

The number of molders out is estimated at 3,000. Eighteen hundred were employed at the Chicago Malleable Iron Works, the largest concern of the establishment said he expected the strike of his men would be settled this afternoon and work resumed to-morrow

morning. Shortly after one o'clock this afternoon a number of non-union molders, who were being conveyed in a 'bus to nue and Thirty-second street. The less injured. The driver dodged the

Every thing was quiet at the stock yards up to two o'clock this afternoon. The butchers, coopers and laborers did not go out, and hence the 250 special policemen stationed there had nothing to do. There were some mutterings of discontent, however, and it is still thought that if the strike ever spreads it will reach the stock-yards, possibly

before the day is out. The men employed at the Goodwillie box factory struck for eight hours this morning. At noon their demands were acceded to and they returned to work.

The men at the Cooper Lumber Company's yards were also victorious. The firm agreed to grant the eight-hour day, and the men went to work at noon. Four hundred men employed at Den-

man & Durka's furniture factory struck to-day for eight hours. Seven hundred men employed at the Chicago Cottage Organ Company are also affected by the strike fever and refuse to work unless granted the eight-

hour day. Trouble is brewing in the lumber yards, and the prospect is that unless the bosses, and unless it is forthcoming granted the eight hours and more pay the lumber shovers-several thousand men-will quit work. If these men strike it will shat down work in most of the yards and tie up all the south-St. Louis, May 1 .- Labor Day was eastern lumber trade. The union wait-

All the employes in the planing-mill

A General Strike Feared. Boston, May 3 .- It is now feared that there will be a general strike in

employing good men whether they be- serious disturbance in work. Some longed to the union or not. They gave time ago the Building Laborers' Union asked the Master Builders' Association for a conference with regard to fixing wages, no rate having been fixed for out in an orderly manner. It is ex- four years. They asked for twentypected that within a day or two most of five cents an hour, but said nothing about the number of hours per day. Carpenters on several large buildings This communication was laid on the workmen met last night to take action on the matter.

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 2 .- The dis-

No New Developments. NEW YORK, May 2.-At the Federamembers of the Builders' Exchange that | fon of Labor bureau this morning Seca few days, that will embrace all the new developments in the eight-hour labor question